

The clerk of the Senate returned the report and resolutions of this house, in relation to the improvement of the navigation of Chester river; endorsed, 'assented to.'

*Ordered*, That the said report and resolutions be engrossed.

On motion by Mr Grason, it was

*Ordered*, That when this House adjourns, it shall stand adjourned *sine die*.

Messrs. Keene and Ely were appointed additional members of the Joint Committee on engrossed bills; and the clerk was directed to acquaint the Senate therewith.

Mr Gantt, of the joint committee, appointed on the part of this house to wait on his Excellency the Governor, and to invite his attendance in the Senate Chamber, at the hour of seven o'clock this evening, for the purpose of completing the signing and sealing of the engrossed bills of both branches of the Legislature, in conformity with the provisions of the constitution and form of government:—reported, That the said committee had, in obedience to their instructions, performed that service, and that the Governor had returned for answer. "that he would accordingly attend in the Senate Chamber, at the appointed time, for the purpose above mentioned"

On motion by Mr Boyer, it was

*Ordered*, That the Committee on Claims furnish the Treasurer for the Western Shore with an account or statement of the days for which Messrs. Richard Ridgely, William Glover, Robert Welch, (of Benjamin.) and Richard M. Kilty, are respectively entitled to a *per diem* allowance for their services, as the additional committee clerks, who have been called in by the Speaker, in compliance with the orders of the house that were heretofore adopted for that purpose.

The Speaker rose from the Chair and addressed the House, in reference to its vote of thanks, for his services as the presiding officer, tendered him by the order adopted on Saturday evening last; in which address he returned his grateful acknowledgments for the flattering compliment that had been paid him—congratulated the members of the House, over whose deliberations he had been called to preside, on the termination of the labors of the Session; expressed his best wishes for their health and happiness—and desired, before a separation, and return to their respective homes, to bid them all a kind and friendly farewell.

Mr Hawkins, from the joint committee on engrossed bills and resolutions, delivered the following report, accom-